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Town Officers

OFFICERS BIENNIALY ELECTED

Representative to General Court

Robert S. Prescott

Moderator

Bernard I. Churchill

Supervisors of Check List

Thomas F. Bluitte

Raymond Estabrook

Otis R. Rowell

OFFICERS ANNUALLY ELECTED

Town Clerk

Mary A. S. Hayford

Selectmen

William K. Davis

Term expires March 1940

Ira M. Downing

Term expires March 1939

Charles R. Stevens

Term expires March 1941

Treasurer

Wilbur R. Sargent

Tax Collector

Cecil A. Kimball

Auditors

Kenneth L. Briggs

Everett O. Kelly

Road Commissioner

Willard F. Paul

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Cemetery Trustees

Albert W. Flanders	Term expires March 1940
Winfred A. Snow	Term expires March 1941
William K. Davis	Term expires March 1939

Trustees of Gale Library

Mary A. S. Hayford	Term expires March 1940
E. Belle Boyd	Term expires March 1941
Pearl R. Davis	Term expires March 1939

Trustees of Trust Funds

James A. Marden	Term expires March 1940
Winfred A. Snow	Term expires March 1941
Hayden E. Cheney	Term expires March 1939

Constable

Stacey B. Rowe

Board of Education

Amanda Goodwin	Term expires March 1940
Kenneth L. Briggs	Term expires March 1941
Lillian R. Webster	Term expires March 1939

Board of Health

Henry L. Burbeck	William K. Davis
Charles R. Stevens	Ira M. Downing

Chief of Police

Stacy B. Rowe

Dog Officer

Raymond Estabrook

Fire Department—Chief Engineer

A. Ralph Estabrook

Fire Wards

Charles R. Stevens	William K. Davis
Ira M. Downing	

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Surveyors of Wood and Lumber and Measurers of Bark

George S. Rowe

Everett W. Silloway

James A. Marden

Charles Illsley

Fence Viewers

Thomas E. Currier

Everett W. Silloway

Tree Warden

J. Howard Baker

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Leon G. Ingalls

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the town of Newton, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.
3. To hear the reports of the Town Officers and pass any vote relating thereto.
4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.
5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,027.50 for State Aid Construction on South Hampton road in order to receive State Aid of \$2,054.00; or to vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$192.29 for Class V assistance in order to receive State Aid of \$769.14.
6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$321.00 to apply to the road from the residence of Charles Bly to Highland Street.

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7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for knapsack type water pumps; to be matched by an equal State amount.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended on Wallace Street (so called) to make said street passable and safe for travel, wholly or in part as may be considered necessary for the convenience of the public.

To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 28th day of February, A. D. 1939.

IRA M. DOWNING,
WILLIAM K. DAVIS,
CHARLES R. STEVENS,

Selectmen of Newton.

A true copy of Warrant. Attest:

IRA M. DOWNING,
WILLIAM K. DAVIS,
CHARLES R. STEVENS,

Selectmen of Newton.

Budget For Year 1939

	Appr. 1938	Spent 1938	Estimate 1939
Town officers' salaries	\$1,100.00	\$1,122.99	\$1,100.00
General expense	650.00	762.96	750.00
Election and registration	190.00	.176.25	50.00
Town Hall expenses	250.00	401.16	250.00
Police department	100.00	106.85	100.00
Fire department	500.00	363.48	550.00
Forest fires	50.00	81.70	50.00
Health department	25.00	20.35	100.00
Vital statistics	20.00	15.00	20.00
Street lighting	1,997.50	1,954.06	1,997.50
Public Library	200.00	200.00	200.00
Memorial Day	10.00	6.00	10.00
Cemeteries	50.00	51.20	50.00
Interest	300.00	148.83	150.00
Snow account	300.00	776.69	300.00
Relief department	1,800.00	3,698.91	1,200.00
Old age assistance	1,200.00	1,275.70	1,200.00
W. P. A.	500.00	1,189.36	500.00

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

IRA M. DOWNING,
WILLIAM K. DAVIS,
CHARLES R. STEVENS,

Selectmen.

WILBUR R. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

Financial Report

LIABILITIES

Due to School District	\$ 5,716.12
Due to School District, dog licenses	246.70
First National Bank, Boston	10,000.00
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Total liabilities	\$15,962.82

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 5,960.65
Gale Memorial Fund	506.34
Town of Kingston, Municipal Court	100.00
Auditing Reserve—Exeter Banking Co.	100.00
Uncollected taxes, 1937	245.05
Uncollected taxes, 1936	66.25
Uncollected taxes, 1935	50.50
Taxes bought by Town:	
Levy of 1936	375.90
Levy of 1937	726.08
Unpaid taxes, 1938	8,456.76
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Total assets	\$16,587.53

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RECEIPTS

Current Revenue from Local Taxes

Total amount committed to Collector, 1938	\$27,530.18
Less discount and abatement	26,782.12
Less uncollected 1938	18,325.36
Property taxes current year actually collected	17,419.40
Poll taxes current year actually collected, 453 @ \$2.00	906.00
Property and Poll taxes, previous years actually collected	18,325.36
Overpaid Treasurer	.04
Tax Sales redeemed	1,246.91

From State

Railroad tax	332.31
Savings Bank tax	32.48
Raymond Estabrook, use of telephone	2.00
Interest and Dividends tax	12.65
N. H. Relief Administration	281.08
Rockingham National Bank	7,500.00
First National Bank, Boston	25,001.67

From local sources except taxes

Dog licenses	246.70
Rent of town property	46.00

Interest received on taxes

1937 collection	474.68
1938 collection	14.46

Income from Departments

Filing fees	17.00
Sale, revolver permits	3.80
Motor vehicle permits 1938	861.50
Motor vehicle permits 1939	6.61

Receipts other than Current Revenue

Town of So. Hampton, snow account	5.00
Mrs. H. E. Wilbur, account, Henry Kimball	27.50
Refund, Rockingham County	29.00
Rockingham County, W. P. A.	654.72
E. M. Gale, refund	2.00

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D. W. Leonard, refund	5.00
Mitchell Mem. Hospital, refund	5.15
Cancer Commission, refund	68.90
Koplow Trimming Co., refund	7.12
Soldiers' Memorial Fund	224.46
Gale Memorial Fund	1,026.54
George L. Cheney, overpayment	17.41
Dividends, Merrimack National Bank Stock	2.40
Haverhill Trust Co., final dividend	11.35
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Total receipts	\$64,656.76
Cash on hand February 1, 1938	1,238.06
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	\$65,894.82

PAYMENTS

General Government		
Town officers' salaries	\$1,122.99	
General expense	762.96	
Election and registration	176.25	
Town Hall expense	401.16	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,463.36
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police Department	106.85	
Fire Department	363.48	
Forest Fires	81.70	
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Health		
Health Department	20.35	
Vital Statistics	15.00	
	<hr/>	35.35
Highways and Bridges		
State Aid Construction	194.06	
Snow account	776.69	
Snow blade	400.00	
Town maintenance	1,691.24	
Street lighting	1,954.06	
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Libraries	200.00	
Library repairs	161.19	
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Charities		
Town poor, district relief	3,698.91	
W. P. A.	1,183.36	
Old age assistance	1,275.70	
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Patriotic purposes		
Memorial Day, flags	6.00	
Soldiers' memorial	375.16	
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Public Service Enterprises		
Cemeteries		51.20
Unclassified		
Taxes bought by town	1,421.41	
Centennial Celebration	25.00	
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Interest		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		148.83
Indebtedness		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		30,000.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions		
State tax	1,236.00	
County tax	2,953.52	
School district	9,000.00	
Dog tags	4.10	
Dog officer	15.00	
Damage by dogs	12.00	
	<hr/>	13,220.62
Total payments for all purposes		<hr/> \$59,834.17

Auditing account Exeter Banking Co.	100.00
Cash on hand January 31, 1939	5,960.65
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	\$65,894.82

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and building	\$13,000.00
Library, land and buildings, equipment	2,000.00
Fire Department and equipment	3,000.00
Highway Department, land, buildings, equipment	400.00
Tractor and house	3,500.00
Willow Grove Cemetery	500.00
Tomb and land	200.00
Land at depot	275.00
Schools, land and buildings	15,000.00
Land and buildings acquired by Collector's deeds	
Russ W. Lyons, land and buildings	1,600.00
Jennie Kimball, heirs, 1 a. land	100.00
Charles E. Snow, land and buildings	200.00
W. Clayton and W. Hitchcock, 10 a. woodland	50.00
Christopher F. Tattersoll, 46 a. woodland	100.00
Moses Sargent Heirs, 10 a. woodland	50.00
Deeds taken for Welfare Aid	
Franklin Morse, 5 a. land and buildings	500.00
Hattie S. Hunt, $\frac{1}{4}$ a. land and buildings	1,000.00
Clara Dow, land and buildings	700.00
Laura Whitehouse, land and buildings	1,000.00
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	\$43,175.00

Selectmen's Report

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

April 1, 1938

Resident

Land and buildings	\$496,580.00
13 sheep	130.00
25 horses	1,840.00
92 cows	5,440.00
2 neat	100.00
1,950 fowl	1,950.00
14 boats and launches	200.00
14 gas pumps	2,100.00
Mills and machinery	1,450.00
Wood and lumber	150.00
Stock in trade	10,700.00
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	\$520,640.00

Non Resident

Electric utilities	13,000.00
Land and buildings	113,610.00
Wood and lumber	2,680.00
Stock in trade	10,000.00
Mills and machinery	9,700.00
1 horse	50.00
2 sheep	20.00
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	\$149,060.00

SOLDIERS' VALUATION TAXABLE

Land and buildings	\$13,700.00
3 gas pumps	450.00
2 horses	200.00
5 cows	190.00

Stock in trade	800.00
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	\$15,340.00
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Soldiers' valuation exempt	\$19,175.00
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TOTAL VALUATION

Resident	\$520,640.00
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Non Resident	149,060.00
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Soldiers' Taxable	15,340.00
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Total	\$685,040.00
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LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

Budget	\$12,242.50
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State aid construction	194.06
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State tax	1,236.00
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County tax	2,953.52
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General highway	1,712.60
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Centennial Celebration	25.00
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Schools	9,084.53
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Soldiers' Memorial	300.00
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Snow blade	400.00
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Overlay	297.83
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Total appropriation	\$28,446.04
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Estimated Receipts

Railroad tax	\$300.00
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Savings Bank tax	30.00
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Motor vehicle permit fees	750.00
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	1,080.00
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	\$27,366.04
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496 polls @ \$2.00	992.00
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Total assessed on property	\$26,374.04
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496 polls @ \$2.00	992.00
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Total to collector	\$27,366.04
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Report of Town Clerk

DOG LICENSES

1936	
1 female	\$ 5.00
Reserved for fee	.20
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	\$ 4.80
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	4.80
1937	
8 females @ \$5.00	40.00
13 males @ \$2.00	26.00
1 male part of year	1.50
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	\$ 67.50
Reserved for fees	4.40
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	\$ 63.10
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	63.10
1938	
11 females @ \$5.00	55.00
70 males @ \$2.00	140.00
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	\$ 195.00
Reserved for fees	16.20
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	\$ 178.80
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	178.80
Received for 1938 auto permits	861.50
Received for 1939 auto permits	6.61
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	\$ 868.11
Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	868.11
Received for filing fees	17.00

Paid W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	17.00
Total	<u>\$1,131.81</u>

MARY A. S. HAYFORD,
Town Clerk.

COPY OF THE RECORDS OF THE TOWN MEETING
MARCH 8, 1938

Meeting called to order at 9 A. M. by the Moderator, Bernard I. Churchill, who proceeded to read the warrant.

On the motion of Ira M. Downing it was voted that the polls be kept open until 6 P. M.

Article 1. At 6 o'clock the polls were declared closed and we proceeded to count the ballots with the following results:

Total number of votes cast, 398.

Town Clerk

Mary A. S. Hayford had and was declared elected.	338
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Selectman for Three Years

Charles R. Stevens had and was declared elected.	310
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Treasurer

Wilbur R. Sargent had and was declared elected.	328
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Tax Collector

Cecil A. Kimball had and was declared elected.	347
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Auditors

Kenneth F. Briggs had	273
Everett O. Kelly had	325
They were declared elected.	

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Road Commissioner

George L. Cheney had	151
Willard F. Paul had	243
and was declared elected.	

Constable

Augustus E. Locke, had	171
Stacy B. Rowe had	220
and was declared elected.	

Cemetery Trustee for Three Years

Winfred A. Snow had	293
and was declared elected.	

Trustee of Trust Funds for Three Years

Winfred A. Snow had	282
and was declared elected.	

Trustee of Public Library for Three Years

E. Belle Boyd had	312
and was declared elected.	

The above officers were qualified by Bernard I. Churchill, Moderator.

For Delegate to the Constitutional Convention

The whole number of votes given in was 383

Thomas F. Bluitte (R.) had	230 votes
Scattering votes	10
Blanks	143

and Thomas F. Bluitte having a plurality of votes given in Newton, declared by the Moderator to be elected Delegate of said town to the Constitutional Convention to be holden at Concord on the second Wednesday of May, 1938.

At 9:24 P. M. the meeting was again called to order by the Moderator, Bernard I. Churchill. He announced the results of the balloting for town officers.

On motion of Wilbur R. Sargent it was voted the selectmen appoint the remaining town officers.

Article 2. The Finance Committee recommended that the budget be accepted as printed in the Town Report. After much discussion it was changed as follows: Relief department changed from \$3,000 to \$1,800; old age assistance, \$1,200; W. P. A. projects, \$500.

It was voted to accept the budget as printed with these changes.

Under this article W. R. Sargent made this motion: "That \$100.00 be added to the budget this year, and \$100.00 every year after, until voted otherwise, for the purpose of creating a fund to hire a State Auditor or a Public Accountant.

The Finance Committee from this date shall have the power to use all or any part of this fund to hire such auditor or accountant, to audit any one account or department, such as Selectmen's, Treasurer's, Tax Collector's, Road Agent's, Police, Trustees' or others or to make a complete audit of all Town accounts, records or books.

The Town auditor or auditors shall or may call upon the Finance Committee for an audit of any account when they so desire."

This was a vote and the \$100.00 was added to the budget.

Article 3. After a great deal of discussion it was voted not to accept the reports of the town officers, but to hold them over until next town meeting.

Article 4. The Finance Committee recommended that the Selectmen be authorized to hire money in anticipation of taxes. It was voted to accept this article.

Article 5. The Finance Committee recommended that the town raise and appropriate \$194.06 to receive \$776.24 State Aid Assistance under Class 5 and to be used on the Smith's Corner road under the direction of the road commissioner. Motion made we accept the recommendation and it was a vote.

Article 6. The Finance Committee recommended that the Selectmen endeavor to arrange a W. P. A. project for the repair, resurfacing and making safe Wallace Street, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the town's proportion on a three for one basis.

After a discussion it was voted that the road commissioner have charge of the road this year.

Article 7. The Finance Committee recommended that due to the fact the article has been taken care of under Article 5, it be passed over and it was so voted.

Article 8. Due to the fact that the town is trying to arrange a lower rate on street lighting and as there is no hazard on Gould's Hill, the committee does not recommend the re-installing of the light. It was voted to accept the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Article 9. The Finance Committee recommended that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to be added to the sum of \$218.00, which was raised by popular subscription and the same to be used for a Soldiers' memorial and celebration.

After a long discussion a motion was made that the sum of \$300.00 be raised and appropriated to add to the \$218.00 and a committee be appointed to spend the money to the best advantage. It was a vote.

The moderator appointed the following committee: Robert Prescott, Herbert Wilbur and George Adams.

Article 10. The Finance Committee recommended that the town purchase a snow blade for clearing snow and raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the same.

It was explained that after contacting manufacturers it was found that the blade most suitable would cost \$400.00

It was voted to raise and appropriate \$400.00.

The moderator appointed the following committee to purchase the same: Samuel F. Boyd, Hayden E. Cheney, Willard F. Paul.

Article 11. The Finance Committee recommended that the article be passed over.

After hearing the celebration explained it was voted to raise and appropriate \$25.00 for the celebrating of the anniversary of the ratification of the federal constitution by the State, June 21, 1938, the money to be spent under the supervision of the Selectmen.

Article 12. The Finance Committee recommended that due to the fact that the article was taken care of under Article No. 5, that it be passed over.

It was voted we pass over this article.

Article 13. The Finance Committee recommended that this article, for a W. P. A. project to trim the trees on town streets, be passed over. Motion made to pass over this article and it was a vote.

Article 14. The Finance Committee recommended that the Road Commissioner take care of Pond Street. It was voted to accept the committee's recommendation.

The committee recommended that the selectmen be authorized to insure all town employees against accident—the premium to be paid out of general expense.

William Davis explained that this would cost around \$100.00 for 5 years.

It was voted to accept this recommendation.

William K. Davis made the following motion:- “To see if the town will vote to authorize the Cemetery Trustees to deposit all money received from the sale of lots in Willow Grove Cemetery in a savings bank to create a fund, the in-

come from said fund to be used in taking care of Willow Grove Cemetery."

It was a vote.

Robert S. Prescott made the following motion—"That in the town report for next year there shall be printed the names of all persons receiving relief and the amount of the relief given during the year to each person."

The motion was lost.

It was voted to adjourn without date at 12:10 A. M.

Recorded truly,

MARY A. S. HAYFORD,

Town Clerk.

A true record, Attest:

MARY A. S. HAYFORD,

Town Clerk.

Collector's Report 1935

Balance due uncollected polls		\$46.00
Balance due uncollected property		23.25
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		\$69.25
Uncollected polls	\$28.00	
Abatements	2.00	
Uncollected property	22.50	
Paid Treasurer	16.75	
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		69.25
Interest paid Treasurer		.25

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

Tax Collector 1935.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1935

Bridges, Bertha	\$ 2.00
Bowley, Eurania	2.00
Filz, Lillian	2.00
Gervais, Mary	2.00
Harrington, Agnes	2.00
Johnson, Nelle	2.00
Johnson, Edgar	2.00
Peaslee, Marion	2.00
Peaslee, Grover	2.00
Pepler, Alfred	2.00
Pepler, Carrie	2.00
Smith, Anna	2.00
Stansezwich, Frank	2.00
Wiggin, Leavitt	2.00
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	\$28.00

ABATEMENT

George, Mary T., invalid	2.00
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UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAX

C. W. Tappan	22.50
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Collector's Report 1936

Balance due uncollected polls		\$64.00
Balance due uncollected property		28.00
Added poll tax		2.00
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		\$94.00
Uncollected Polls	\$40.00	
Abatements	2.00	
Uncollected property	26.25	
Paid Treasurer	25.75	
	<hr/>	94.00
Interest		2.14

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

Tax Collector 1936.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1936

Bridges, Bertha	\$ 2.00
DeBroskey, Edith	2.00
Estabrook, Anita	2.00
Filz, Lillian	2.00
Gervais, Mary	2.00
Harrington, Agnes	2.00
Johnson, Nelle	2.00
Johnson, Edgar	2.00
Johnson, Ellen	2.00
Kershaw, Mary	2.00
Peaslee, Marion	2.00
Peaslee, Grover	2.00
Pepler, Alfred	2.00
Pepler, Carrie	2.00
Pelly, Arthur	2.00
Stevens, William M.	2.00

Wechezak, Helen	2.00
Wiggin, Leavitt	2.00
George, Esther	2.00
Bowley, Eurania	2.00
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	\$40.00

ABATEMENT

Hull, Joseph, invalid	2.00
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UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAX

C. W. Tappan	26.25
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Collector's Report 1937

Balance due uncollected polls	\$ 152.00
Balance due uncollected taxes	8,299.19
Taxes added	4.00
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	\$8,455.19
Abatements	\$ 48.04
Uncollected polls	64.00
Uncollected property	181.05
Discount	.60
Town owned property	34.68
Paid Treasurer	8,126.82
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	8,455.19
Interest paid Treasurer	474.68

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

Tax Collector 1937.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1937

Allen, Irvin	\$ 2.00
Burbine, Thomas	2.00
Burbine, Etta	2.00
Bridges, Bertha	2.00

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Bowley, Eurania	2.00
Brazee, Marion	2.00
Duffett, Eleanor	2.00
DeBroskey, Edith	2.00
Drew, Mrs. Benjamin	2.00
Estabrook, Anita	2.00
Estabrook, George	2.00
Harrington, Agnes	2.00
Johnson, Nelle	2.00
Johnson, Edgar	2.00
Johnson, Ellen	2.00
Kelly, Carroll	2.00
Kershaw, Mary	2.00
Mitchell, Frank	2.00
Marshall, Elmer	2.00
Nichols, Gladys	2.00
Peaslee, Grover	2.00
Pepler, Alfred	2.00
Smith, Anna	2.00
Stevens, William M.	2.00
Senter, Ida	2.00
Taylor, William	2.00
George, Esther	2.00
Barr, Samuel	2.00
Ramsdell, Lester	2.00
Ramsdell, Janet	2.00
Mansfield, May	2.00
Rollins, Nathaniel	2.00

\$64.00

ADDED POLL TAXES

Rollins, William J.	2.00
Shaw, Llewlyn	2.00

ABATEMENTS

Hoyt, Mary L., moved	2.00
Hull, Joseph, invalid	2.00
Kelly, George, relief	2.00

Jearles, Alice, moved	2.00
Crouch, Mattie, moved	2.00
Crummett, Mrs. Wm., no such person	2.00
Glidden, George	2.04
Bradley, Belle	34.00
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	\$48.04

TOWN OWNED PROPERTY

Snow, Charles E.	\$13.60
Hitchcock, Clayton	3.40
Sargent, Moses, Heirs	9.18
Tattersoll, Francis	8.50
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	\$34.68

UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY

C. W. Tappan	\$ 23.80
Maurice O'Connor	127.50
Lillian Pedradkis	27.20
Arthur C. Ingalls	2.55
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	\$181.05

Collector's Report 1938

Amount of taxes committed	\$27,362.03
Added polls	18.00
Added taxes	150.15
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	\$27,530.18
Abatements	\$ 328.10
Uncollected polls	104.00
Discounts	419.96
Uncollected property	8,352.76

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Paid to Treasurer	18,336.47	
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	\$27,541.29	
Less interest paid Treasurer	11.07	
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	\$27,530.22	
Overpaid Treasurer	.04	
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		27,530.18

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

Tax Collector 1938.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1938

Austin, Leah	\$ 2.00
Allen, Irvin	2.00
Austin, Benjamin	2.00
Boyd, Jerome	2.00
Bridges, Bertha	2.00
Bowley, Eurania	2.00
Boyd, Merton	2.00
Duffett, Eleanor	2.00
DeBroskey, Edith	2.00
DeBroskey, Ralph	2.00
Fleming, James	2.00
Filz, Lillian	2.00
Glover, Gordon	2.00
Glover, Edna	2.00
Hunt, Russell	2.00
Hunt, Margaret	2.00
Hoyt, Mary E.	2.00
Harrington, Agnes	2.00
Illsley, Wallace	2.00
Jones, Albert	2.00
Johnson, Nelle	2.00
Johnson, Edgar	2.00
Johnson, Ellen	2.00
Kelly, Carroll	2.00
Kershaw, Mary	2.00
Kimball, Horace H.	2.00
Kershaw, Walter B.	2.00

Marshall, Elmer	2.00
Page, Rose A.	2.00
Peaslee, Marion	2.00
Parks, Albert	2.00
Pepler, Alfred	2.00
Pepler, Carrie	2.00
Pelly, Arthur	2.00
Perreault, Allie	2.00
Perreault, Bessie	2.00
Ramsdell, Janet	2.00
Standing, William	2.00
Smith, Anna	2.00
Snow, Maynard	2.00
Stevens, William M.	2.00
Treadwell, John	2.00
Taylor, William	2.00
Westover, Herbert	2.00
Wilson, William J.	2.00
Wilson, Rebecca	2.00
Wiggin, Leavitt	2.00
York, John	2.00
Bowley, Elmer	2.00
Roche, Annie	2.00
Estabrook, Anita	2.00
Estabrook, George	2.00

 \$104.00

Roche Annie, paid after close of books	2.00
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ABATEMENTS FOR 1938

Town of Amesbury	\$ 34.65
Bradley, Frank, invalid	2.00
Brewer, Mrs. Francis, paid in Maine	2.00
Burt, Charles, left town	2.00
Burt, Myrtle, left town	2.00
Crouch, Mattie, left town	2.00
Eastman, Mary, left town	2.00
Finnigan, John, paid in Concord, N. H.	2.00
Finnigan, Phyllis, paid in Concord, N. H.	2.00

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Ferguson, Robert, left town	2.00
Ferguson, Leona, left town	2.00
George, Bessie, invalid	2.00
Hoyt, Mary L., left town	2.00
Hull, Joseph, invalid	2.00
Huntress, Martha, left town	2.00
Harrington, Henry, left town	2.00
Harrington, Amy F., left town	2.00
Kelly, George, relief	2.00
Lyons, Ross, relief	2.00
Maroney, Nellie, invalid	2.00
Mahair, Mary, moved	2.00
MacDonald, Anthony, paid in Wakefield	2.00
MacDonald, Mrs. Anthony, paid in Wakefield	2.00
Nutter, Frank, gets aid	2.00
Peck, Mrs. Elijah, moved	2.00
Kane, Mary, paid in Mass.	2.00
Kane, Myles T., paid in Mass.	2.00
Pottie, Helen, relief	2.00
Rancourt, Mary S., died	2.00
Shaw, Llewlyn, moved	2.00
Webster, Edwin, over 70	2.00
York, Bertha, invalid	2.00
Adams, Williams, over 70	2.00
Abbott, Arthur, over 70	2.00
Holmes, Charles, paid in Cambridge	2.00
Potterton, Josephine, died	2.00
Shaw, Earle B., paid in Mass.	2.00
Goodwin, Lucy, allowed by State Tax Commission	7.70
Hoyt, Albert	19.25
Wingate, Inc.	192.50
Crummett, Mrs. Wm., no such person	2.00
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	\$328.10

ADDED POLL TAXES AND PROPERTY TAXES

Butler, Herbert	\$ 2.00
Ingalls, Lloyd	2.00
Ingalls, Nancy	2.00
Kezik, Alec	2.00

Morse, Margaret	2.00
Merrill, Carrie	2.00
Merrill, Stacy, Jr.	2.00
Merrill, Stacy	2.00
Wentworth, Frank	2.00
Tehan, John	61.60
Card, Grace and Leonard	88.55
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	\$168.15

LIST OF UNPAID SOLD TAXES FOR 1936

	Tax	Int.
Austin, Harold D. Est.	\$35.00	\$2.48
Bly, Charles L.	17.50	1.24
Bartlett, Morrill, Heirs	94.50	6.70
Crummett, William	5.00	1.99
Merrill, Wilbur	19.50	1.24
Murphy, Margaret	70.00	4.96
Snow, Charles E.	17.50	1.24
Peaslee, Fred	1.75	.11
Willey, Albion	52.50	3.73
Bowe, Mary, Est.	2.80	.19
Connelly, James	8.75	.62
Larosee, Conrad	3.50	.25
Sargent, Moses, Heirs	7.00	.50
Tattersoll, Francis	8.75	.62
Whitehouse, Harry	1.75	.11
Gale, Hiram, Est.	.35	.02
Hitchcock, Clayton	3.50	.25
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	\$349.65	\$26.25

LIST OF UNPAID SOLD TAXES FOR 1937

	Tax	Int.
Austin, Harold D., Est.	\$34.00	\$2.37
Bly, Charles L.	17.00	1.18
Bartlett, Morrill, Heirs	91.80	6.41
Boswell, J. C., Heirs	1.70	.13
Senter, Ida	13.60	.95

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Gale, Hiram, Est.	.34	.03
Hanton, Ruby	54.40	3.81
Merrill, Wilbur	19.00	1.18
Murphy, Margaret	68.00	4.74
Pettengill, Albert, Est.	42.50	2.97
Pelly, Lilly	54.70	3.67
Roiley, George	4.00	.39
Stronach, Eben	55.80	6.56
Wentworth, George, Est.	30.60	2.14
Larosee, Conrad	3.40	.25
Morrill, F. B.	.85	.04
Mass. Mortgage Co.	51.00	3.56
Roberts, Frank	5.10	.37
Tappan, E. and Sarah Burke	61.20	4.28
Wheaton, Ronald	20.40	1.43
Whitehouse, Harry	1.70	.13
Wentworth, Mary	21.25	1.48
Bowe, Mary T., Est.	2.72	.19
Brown & Cole	6.80	.49
Brown, Joseph, Est.	3.40	.25
Connelly, James	10.20	.72
Zablemen	.85	.05
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	\$676.31	\$49.77

Treasurer's Report

Receipts:

Wilbur R. Sargent, 1937 Treasurer	\$ 1,238.06
Cecil A. Kimball, 1935 Tax Collector	17.00
Cecil A. Kimball, 1936 Tax Collector	27.89
Cecil A. Kimball, 1937 Tax Collector	8,598.14
Cecil A. Kimball, 1938 Tax Collector	18,336.47
Mary A. S. Hayford, Town Clerk:	
1936 dog licenses	\$ 4.80
1937 dog licenses	63.10
1938 dog licenses	178.80
1938 auto permits	861.50
1939 auto permits	6.61
1938 filing fees	17.00
	<hr/> 1,131.81
Selectmen	36,545.45
	<hr/> \$65,894.82

Paid:

485 orders drawn by Selectmen	59,834.17
	<hr/> \$ 6,060.65
Transfer to Savings Dept. Exeter Banking Co.	100.00
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Feb. 1, 1939, balance on hand	\$ 5,960.65
Also on hand; 6 shares Merrimack National Bank Stock	
Auditing reserve in E. B. Co. No. 29,276	100.00
Paid: Soldiers' Memorial Fund to Selectmen	224.46
Deposits, 49; Mileage, 494; Time, 214 hours; Postage, 73c.	

WILBUR R. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

RECEIVED BY SELECTMEN

Town of So. Hampton, snow account	\$	5.00
G. L. Cheney, overpayment		17.41
Raymond Estabrook, telephone		2.00
D. W. Leonard, M. D., refund, Mary Gervais case		5.00
Lilly Pelly, 1936 tax		66.46
E. M. Gale, M. D., refund, Mary Gervais case		2.00
Lawrence Howard, 1935 tax		18.09
Georgia Theodore, 1935 tax		9.96
George Wentworth Est., 1935 tax		40.61
George Wentworth Est, 1936 tax		41.79
Mary Wentworth, 1936 tax		30.95
H. Fred Peaslee, 1936 tax		12.88
Annie M. Witham, 1935-1936 taxes		82.34
Koplow Trimming Co., refund		7.12
Lawrence Howard, 1936 tax		10.70
Georgia Theodan, 1936 tax		17.50
Roswell Holt, 1936 tax		14.90
Ralph Sargent, 1937 tax		4.98
First National Bank, Boston		25,001.67
Mitchell Memorial Hospital, refund Mary Gervais case		5.15
Margaret Murphy, 1935 tax		86.61
Mertie Whittier, 1935 tax		23.88
Albion Willey, 1935 tax		65.56
Norman Rowell, 1937 tax		18.80
Cora Bowley, 1937 tax		114.49
Cancer Commission, Josephine Potterton		68.90
Wilbur Merrill, 1935 tax		17.41
Haverhill Trust Co., final dividend		11.35
Josephine Potterton Est., 1936-1937 taxes		135.74
Rockingham County, refund, poor account		29.00
Gale Memorial Fund		1,026.54
Soldiers' Memorial Fund		224.46
Rockingham County, W. P. A. account		654.72
State of New Hampshire, Welfare Department		281.08
Exeter Cooperative Bank, 1938 taxes		401.90
Rockingham National Bank		7,500.00
Dividends, Merrimack National Bank Stock		2.40

Rent of hall	46.00
W. R. Sargent, sale revolver permits	3.80
Mrs. H. E. Wilbur, Henry Kimball account	27.50
Almon G. Whittier, 1934 tax	31.36
Railroad tax	332.31
Interest and dividend tax	12.65
Savings Bank tax	32.48

Total received by Selectmen	\$36,545.45
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DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Kenneth L. Briggs, Auditor	\$ 18.00
Everett O. Kelly, Auditor	18.00
Cecil A. Kimball, Tax Collector	251.99
Ira M. Downing, Selectman	250.00
William K. Davis, Selectman	125.00
Charles R. Stevens, Selectman	100.00
Mary A. S. Hayford, Town Clerk	75.00
Wilbur R. Sargent, Treasurer	85.00
A. Ralph Estabrook, Fire Chief	50.00
William K. Davis, Relief Agent	150.00

\$1,122.99

General Expense

William K. Davis, compensation and liability insurance	\$ 118.70
Alice Wilder, postage	26.76
William K. Davis, officers' bonds	130.00
William K. Davis, making deeds	4.00
Amesbury Publishing Co., printing town reports	150.00
Walker Letter Service, mimeographing Finance Committee recommendations	4.15
The Marston Agency, insurance, Hattie Hunt	10.00
Association of N. H. Assessors	4.00
H. E. Cheney, postage, Finance Committee	3.20
Haverhill Hardware Co., supplies, Clara Dow, pump	3.84

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Brown & Saltmarsh, town officers' supplies	8.95
Wheeler & Clark, town officers' supplies	22.78
Earle B. Shaw, printing	25.00
John W. A. Green, recording deeds	4.00
Edmund Little Co., supplies, town officers	1.08
William M. Stevens, repairs, Franklin Morse Est.	10.35
Frank E. Blair, cutting trees, highway	15.85
F. J. Barnard Co., binding town records	7.30
Joseph C. Hoyt, hauling brush, highway	1.50
John W. A. Green, copying transfers	21.40
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies, town officers	14.65
Walter Morse, cutting trees, Wilder's Grove	6.00
Harold H. Jillson, cutting trees, Wilder's Grove	2.00
Cecil A. Kimball, notices to register of deeds	1.75
J. H. Baker, cutting trees, highway	5.30
H. L. Burbeck, repairs, Hattie Hunt property	5.25
Samuel Marshall, cutting trees, highway	3.20
Edward Hatch, Sr., cutting trees, highway	3.20
John B. Varick Co., parts for sewer pump	3.95
W. A. Snow, expenses, trustee trust funds	18.00
Cecil A. Kimball, postage	12.80
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	19.75
Mary A. S. Hayford, auto permits, postage and expense	85.25
Mary A. S. Hayford, expense, Town Clerks' Ass'n.	10.00
	\$762.96

Election and Registration

Everett W. Silloway, election officer, 3 meetings	\$ 12.00
Frank E. Austin, election officer, 3 meetings	12.00
George S. Rowe, election officer, 3 meetings	12.00
Everett O. Kelly, election officer, 3 meetings	12.00
Ira M. Downing, election officer, 3 meetings	12.00
William K. Davis, election officer, 3 meetings	12.00
Charles R. Stevens, election officer, 3 meetings	12.00
Raymond Estabrook, supervisor, 3 meetings	22.50
Otis R. Rowell, supervisor, 3 meetings	22.50
Russell R. Hunt, supervisor, 3 meetings	22.50

Bernard I. Churchill, moderator, 3 meetings	18.00
Amesbury Publishing Co., ballots, town officers	6.75
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	\$176.25

Town Hall Expense

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., lights	\$ 27.60
Henry L. Burbeck, repairs	6.37
F. B. Keene, supplies	4.95
Brooks Construction and Lumber Co., supplies	6.30
Ira M. Downing, repairs, Town Hall	15.00
Joseph C. Hoyt, labor, Town Hall grounds	5.50
William K. Davis, insurance	100.00
C. J. Busfield Machine Co., repairs, Town Clock	1.31
Howard Clock Products Co., Inc., repairs, Town Clock	41.00
Henry L. Burbeck, repairs, Town Clock	1.00
F. B. Keene, rope and snap for flag pole	2.15
Walter Kershaw, labor, rope on flag pole	1.00
Ralph M. Bean, labor, rope on flag pole	1.00
C. W. Hayes, supplies	2.00
The Marston Agency, insurance	29.00
Sumner Hoyt, wood	16.00
Joseph C. Hoyt, sawing wood	2.50
Ozro M. Bean, repairs on furnace	23.98
H. E. Cheney, coal	26.00
Charles R. Stevens, janitor	88.50
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	\$401.16

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Augustus E. Locke Account

A. E. Locke, Chief	\$3.40
George L. Cheney, services	1.00
Walter Welch, services	1.50
H. L. Burbeck, services	1.50

Stacy B. Rowe Account

Stacy B. Rowe, Chief	84.50
E. M. Gale, M. D., services	2.00

W. S. Darley Co., chief's badge	2.95
H. L. Burbeck, services	10.00
Total	<hr/> \$106.85

Chief of Police Report, 1938

In submitting my report for the past year, I wish to express my appreciation for the co-operation given this department.

Having accepted the office of Chief with little experience in police work, and a limited knowledge of the laws which govern it, many of its problems have been greatly relieved by the generous advice and assistance of the State Police, other state, county and town officers, and local citizens whose help, either offered or given, has been welcome in time of need.

Many calls not listed in our report have been received and answered, some of which have gained our personal sympathy, but which after counsel, and careful consideration have not warranted police action.

Our aim has been to act impartially, not to over-step authority, to humbly recognize the responsibilities entrusted to us in a "not too pleasant" work, and render courteous service.

Arrests, 3; Court cases, 4; Convictions, 3.

Charges—1 disturbance, 30 days sentence, no fine.

1 driving under influence, fined.

1 drunk, continued, no fine.

1 leaving scene of accident, awaiting trial by Superior Court.

Other services as listed on itemized bill:

	Miles	Hours
March		
18, Suspicious truck reported	5	2
23, Fire traffic—Durgins Corner		3
23, Checkup of suspicious cars	4	3
29, Complaint of air rifles	3	1

29, Complaint vacant house open	4	1	
30, Mental case	4	3	
April			
2, Motor vehicle violator	5	2	
6, Accident by Mr. Thom's	4	2	
9, Break at Mr. Lungden's	4	2	
15, Disturbance	3	2	
16, Tramp			\$1.00
17, Assistance to outside officers	6	4	
21, Watching for stolen car	5	3	
30, Stealing gas from car	5	3	
May			
2, Arrest, disturbance	44	6	
3, Motor vehicle violator	4	2	
9, Truck parked to endanger	6	1	
June			
13, Call to Wilders Grove	6	2	
17, Accident, East Kingston road	3	2	
21, Disturbance	2	2	
July			
3-4, Time and mileage on highway			5.00
7, Recovery of stolen property	5	3	
8, Complaint at White Sands	6	1	
11, Tramp			1.00
20, Abandoned car	4	2	
August			
21, Destruction of property, Marcoux Grove	5	3	
28, Searching for lost person	5	3	
September			
2, Gas stealing, Wilders Grove	5	2	
11, Arrest, drunk	22	4	
21, Hurricane, guiding traffic	4	8	
October			
11, Accident, Nichols Hill	4	2	
14, On highway	2	3	
23, Accident, Lower Village	2	2	
26, Tramp			1.00

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November		
8, Accident, Amesbury Road	5	3
8, Disturbance, Lower Village	2	1
9, Accident, Newton Village	2	3
December		
4, Complaint	5	3
18, Accident, Haverhill Road	6	3
20, Accident, Sargent's Hill	4	2
January		
12, Complaint	2	2
13, Suspicious person	4	1
26, Call to Newton Junction	4	1
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	215	98

**Town of Newton, To Stacy B. Rowe
Chief of Police**

Hours, 98	\$49.00
Mileage, 215	21.50
Telephone calls	1.00
Time and mileage, July 3-4	5.00
Tramps, 3	3.00
Badge	2.95
H. L. Burbeck, 20 hrs. service	10.00
Raymond Estabrook, trip to Exeter	2.00
Leavitt Wiggin, assistance during hurricane	2.00
Ralph DeBrosky, assistance during hurricane	1.00
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	\$97.45
E. M. Gale, M. D.	2.00
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Total	\$99.45
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Total for Police Department	\$106.85

Fire Department

A. Ralph Estabrook, supplies	\$101.60
A. Ralph Estabrook, storage, fire truck	55.00
William K. Davis, insurance, fire truck	8.80

Blanchard Co., fire siren for pole	40.00
W. E. Killian, supplies	12.50
W. S. Darley Co., fire wards' badges	3.78
Men fighting fires	125.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., extensions, cutouts, etc.	16.80
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	\$363.48

Men Fighting Fires For 1938

Edward Hatch, Sr.	\$ 10.00
Raymond Estabrook	10.00
Charles Clifford	10.00
Lewis Clifford	5.00
George Adams	5.00
Peter Walls	5.00
Ed. Whittier	5.00
Otis Rowell	5.00
Henry Burbeck	5.00
Bernard Churchill	5.00
Ira M. Downing	5.00
Harvey Seel	2.50
Arthur Woodman	2.50
Harlan Burpee	5.00
George Estabrook	5.00
Clarence Woodman	5.00
Herman Green	5.00
Kennith Merrifield	5.00
Leavitt Wiggin	5.00
Ralph Marden	5.00
Ralph Bean	5.00
Stillman Davis	5.00
Clarence Jameson	5.00
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Total	\$125.00

(Paid) A. RALPH ESTABROOK, Chief

Forest Fires

A. Ralph Estabrook, Forest Fire Warden	81.70
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Health Department

C. W. Hayes, supplies	2.05
H. L. Burbeck, expenses, Health Officer	7.30
E. M. Gale, M. D., services	11.00
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	\$20.35

Vital Statistics

Mary A. S. Hayford, recording births, deaths and marriages	15.00
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Centennial Celebration

N. H. Constitutional Sesqui- Centennial Committee	25.00
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Street Lighting

Paid Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., street lighting	1,954.06
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Libraries

Mary A. S. Hayford, libraries	200.00
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Library Repairs

Hayden E. Cheney, supplies	69.12
William P. Crummett, labor	20.94
F. B. Keene, supplies	24.93
Clarence E. Kelly, labor	46.20
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	\$161.19

Town Poor Account

Direct Relief Expenditures	3,698.91
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Town Poor Expenditures—Detail

Paid for Welfare Cases as follows:

State Cancer Commission	34.45
A. D. Michadrik, M. D.	14.00
George L. Cheney, wood	12.00

C. W. Colby, M. D.	10.00
L. H. Jacobs, M. D.	17.00
Railway Express Agency	3.83
Joseph C. Hoyt, wood	41.50
F. F. Reid, M. D.	6.00
Brewitt & Pressey, ambulance	7.00
Otis P. Mudge, M. D.	39.00
Olive M. Gotha, care	6.00
Pillsbury & Gale, funeral bill	100.00
F. L. Moody, shoes	15.13
L. M. Currier, fuel oil	56.25
Ingalls & Son, groceries	286.25
M. Baker, M. D.	6.00
H. Navels, clothing	8.00
Kimball, Hall & Loomis, funeral bill	186.50
Glenroy A. Colby, wood	80.00
Charles L. Bly, board bill	60.00
Cash orders for relief case	260.04
C. W. Hayes, groceries	253.59
Whittier Hill Sanitarium	77.16
P. H. Brewer, groceries	165.00
Mitchell Memorial Hospital	119.60
W. K. Davis, transportation, relief cases to hospital	22.00
H. A. Munroe, groceries	213.45
E. M. Gale, M. D.	208.50
Peter Walls, groceries	62.00
Herbert Horne, M. D.	3.00
T. E. Currier, milk and eggs	18.20
L. Theobald, M. D.	5.00
C. D. Currier, wood	18.00
Hale Hospital	356.00
D. M. Leonard, M. D.	53.00
Fred Dube, M. D.	115.00
John T. Guy, M. D.	10.00
Robert W. Tower, M. D.	20.90
C. R. Hines, M. D.	50.00
Newburyport Homeopathic Hospital	107.00
E. C. Darbe, groceries	69.00
Sacred Heart Hospital	51.45

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H. E. Cheney, groceries	253.69
U. N. Sikorski, M. D.	30.00
Rockingham County, board	117.92
Earle B. Nichols, milk	45.10
Nellie B. Chrigstrom, milk	5.40
Total	<hr/> \$3,698.91

Direct Relief Account

Received from State	281.08
Mrs. H. E. Wilbur, Henry Kimball account	27.50
Miscellaneous sources	117.14
Gale Memorial Fund	1,026.54
Total receipts	<hr/> \$1,452.29
Total expenditures	3,698.91
Total receipts	1,452.29
Amount raised by taxation	<hr/> \$2,246.62

W. P. A. Account

Treasurer of United States, material	678.50
L. J. Carleton Co., supplies	41.71
Koplow Trimming Co., supplies	65.63
William K. Davis, expenses	30.00
Charles H. Batchelder, filing cabinets	21.15
Singer Sewing Machine Co., repairs	9.40
F. B. Keene, supplies	1.30
Glenroy A. Colby, wood	16.00
Joseph C. Hoyt, sawing wood	2.50
Sumner Hoyt, wood	4.75
White Sewing Machine Co., supplies	.25
Elmar T. Germundson, supplies	2.40
Henry L. Burbeck, repairs on machine	1.00
Hayden E. Cheney, coal	65.00
C. W. Hayes, supplies	7.27
Charles R. Stevens, janitor	126.50
Twilight Lodge No. 68, I. O. O. F., rent of hall	110.00
	<hr/> \$1,183.36

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W. P. A. Account

Received from Rockingham County	654.72
Amount raised by taxation	528.64

Old Age Assistance

Rockingham County	428.25
William K. Davis, insurance and expense	80.00
Maurice Berry, expense, old age assistance case	27.00
Old Age Assistance cases, expenses at Mitchell Memorial Hospital	176.10
Winifred Shaw, care, old age assistance case	8.00
Anna Seel, care, old age assistance case	10.00
State of New Hampshire	463.75
Nettie Kimball, care, old age assistance case	68.00
Ira M. Downing, repairs, property, old age assistance case	9.60
George L. Cheney, trip to Mitchell Memorial Hospital, old age assistance case	5.00
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	\$1,275.70

Memorial Day

G. E. Rundlett, flags, Soldiers' Memorial	6.00
H. E. Cheney, dressing for Town Hall lawn	9.50
Harry W. Hoyt, band	74.80
Robert S. Prescott, expenses	1.86
Lloyd M. Currier, loud speaker system	10.00
Gertrude Ingalls, wreaths	4.00
Clifford E. Atwood, memorial and shrubbery	275.00
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	\$381.16

Cemeteries

Stillman A. Davis, labor, Willow Grove	7.00
Donald Cheney, labor, Willow Grove	2.00
Merton Cheney, labor, Willow Grove	1.00
Elmer H. Kelly, labor, Old Town Cemetery	34.00
Albert W. Flanders, labor, Willow Grove	6.20

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Joseph C. Hoyt, hauling away rubbish	1.00
	<hr/> \$ 51.20

Interest

Paid Rockingham National Bank	36.33
Paid First National Bank, Boston, Mass.	112.50
	<hr/> \$148.83

State Aid Construction

Paid State of New Hampshire	194.06
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Indebtedness

Paid Rockingham National Bank	15,000.00
Paid First National Bank, Boston	15,000.00
	<hr/> \$30,000.00

Payments To Other Governmental Divisions

State tax	1,236.00
Taxes bought	1,421.41
County tax	2,953.52
	<hr/> \$5,610.93

School District

Schools	9,000.00
Dog tags	4.10
Dog officer	15.00
Damage by dogs	12.00
	<hr/> \$9,031.10

Town Maintenance Highways

W. F. Paul, Highway Commissioners	1,691.24
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Snow Account

George L. Cheney Account

Ingalls & Son, coal, tractor house	12.25
H. A. Munroe, tobacco, Frank Bradley janitor, tractor house	4.00
Thomas W. Watkins, plowing snow	30.00
Joseph C. Hoyt, sanding	30.00
Leavitt Wiggin, labor	8.00
Ira M. Downing, labor	3.75
George L. Cheney, labor	8.27

Snow Blade

Paid R. C. Hazelton Co.	400.00
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W. F. Paul Account

H. A. Munroe, tobacco, Frank Bradley janitor, tractor house	20.00
William K. Davis, insurance on tractor and house	17.25
A. Ralph Estabrook, repairs on tractor	117.75
W. F. Paul, truck	52.20
Frank Clifford, labor	9.38
Everett Kelly, labor	5.00
Charles L. Clifford, labor	3.00
Lewis Clifford, labor	7.00
Harvey Seel, labor	1.50
John W. Dole, labor	2.50
Edward Hatch, labor	3.20
Rudderhams Auto Repairs, mechanic	91.77
H. E. Cheney, coal	13.00
Mead Morrison Co., parts for tractor	336.87

\$776.69

Report of Road Agent—Year Ending January 31, 1939

Amount of appropriation	\$1,712.60
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EXPENDITURES

Willard F. Paul, truck @ \$1.20 per hour	294.00
Willard F. Paul, labor @ 50c per hour	38.80
Joseph Hoyt, truck	156.80
Charles D. Currier, truck	127.20
Ralph Marden, truck	57.60
Charles Bly, truck	38.40
Sargent Bros., gravel	46.35
Thomas Locke, gravel	77.60
Harry Kinney, sand	9.45
Henry Hoyt, labor @ .40 per hour	23.60
Leavitt Wiggin, labor @ .40 per hour	26.60
Stacey Rowe, labor @ .40 per hour	38.40
Sidney Kimball, labor @ .40 per hour	34.40
Frank Blair, labor @ .40 per hour	35.20
Newell Jenness, labor @ .40 per hour	28.80
Grover C. Peaslee, labor @ .40 per hour	22.40
Joseph Hull, labor @ .40 per hour	22.40
Edward Heyward, labor @ .40 per hour	22.40
Winfred Snow, labor @ .40 per hour	35.20
Reid Bunker, labor @ .40 per hour	36.00
Royal Clapp, labor @ .40 per hour	19.20
George S. Marshall, labor @ .40 per hour	22.40
Fred Kimball, labor @ .40 per hour	19.20
Charles Lawless, labor @ .40 per hour	19.20
Donald Cheney, labor @ .40 per hour	19.20
William Rollins, labor @ .40 per hour	12.80
Edgar Johnson, labor @ .40 per hour	30.80
Gilbert Morse, labor @ .40 per hour	16.00
William Standing, labor @ .40 per hour	3.20

Oswald Holt, labor @ .40 per hour	6.40
Llewellyn Shaw, labor @ .40 per hour	6.40
Lester Ramsdell, labor @ .40 per hour	8.00
George Estabrooks, labor @ .40 per hour	8.00
Clarence Jameson, labor @ .40 per hour	3.20
Otis Rowell, labor @ .40 per hour	24.40
Elmer Bearse, labor @ .40 per hour	6.40
Milton Jameson, labor @ .40 per hour	2.00
Arthur Hanson, labor @ .40 per hour	9.60
Ralph Bean, labor @ .40 per hour	6.40
Lloyd Ingalls, labor @ .40 per hour	3.20
George Avery, labor @ .40 per hour	3.20
John W. Dole, labor @ .40 per hour	3.20
Hayden E. Cheney, shovels and pick axe	22.15
American Oil Product Co., oil	241.05
Brooks Construction Co., lumber	4.04
Total	\$1,691.24

EQUIPMENT

One tractor and plow in first class condition; one snow plow blade for truck, new; one road machine in poor condition; one road drag, poor condition; 15 shovels, 4 picks, 1 iron bar, 3 grub hoes, 4 snow shovels, 1 bush scythe and snath, 2 road brooms, 4 long handle shovels, all in good condition.

WILLARD F. PAUL,
Road Commissioner.

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION CLASS V

Smith Corner Road

Willard F. Paul, truck, \$1.20 per hour	\$138.00
Charles D. Currier, truck	93.60
Hayden E. Cheney, truck	93.60
Joseph Hoyt, truck	39.60
Ernest Tucker, gravel	26.60
Anthony Nicklas, gravel	10.30
Wilbur R. Sargent, sand	16.50

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State Highway Garage, tile pipe	36.84
Willard F. Paul, foreman	61.50
Andrew Lewis, labor, .40 per hour	39.60
Andrew Lewis, team	8.00
Grover C. Peaslee, labor	46.00
Llewellyn Shaw, labor	46.00
Winfred Snow, labor	46.00
Edgar Johnson, labor	40.40
George Kelley, labor	31.00
Leavitt Wiggin, labor	32.00
Kenneth Merrifield, labor	32.00
Joseph Pottie, labor	31.20
Walter F. Kimball, labor	25.60
Charles R. Stevens, labor	13.20
William Stevens, labor	13.20
J. W. Dole, labor	16.40
James Courser, labor	13.20
Robert Bowers, labor	13.20
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Total	\$963.74
Appropriation	970.30
Spent	963.74
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Balance	\$ 6.56

WILLARD F. PAUL,
Foreman.

Report of Committee on War Memorial

The committee for the War Memorial submits the following report:

Balance on hand, Soldiers' Memorial Fund	\$218.43
Appropriation	300.00
Paid Elmer S. Atwood & Son, monument, tablet and installation	\$235.00
Shrubbery	40.00
Music at dedication	74.80
Wreath	4.00
Loud speaker	10.00
Ribbon for flag	.75
Telephone calls	.75
Postage	.36
Fertilizer for lawn around memorial	9.50
Balance	143.27

\$518.43	\$518.43
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Balance on hand	\$143.27
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The committee takes this opportunity to thank all who gave us such splendid cooperation at the dedication ceremonies, and to especially note the great help given by Mr. Maurice Devine our speaker, Mr. A. Ralph Estabrook our master of ceremonies, Miss Barbara Jillson for the unveiling, Rev. William Wilson and Rev. James Ladd for the invocation and benediction, Mr. Samuel Boyd for transportation; and also to the Carl G. Davis Post A. L. of Plaistow and the Auxiliary of the Carl G. Davis Post for the active part they took on that occasion.

ROBERT S. PRESCOTT,
HERBERT E. WILBUR,
GEORGE H. ADAMS,

Committee for War Memorial.

Report of Health Officer

FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

At the first of the year many complaints were received of garbage being spilled on Haverhill Road by overloaded trucks, enroute to the piggery. After warning each driver and sending notice to the contractor, I communicated with the Haverhill Board and the nuisance ceased. The practice of throwing garbage, from cars, to the wayside still continues, and there seems no way to stop it except by the co-operation of all persons concerned.

There were reported during year the following cases:

Mumps	7
Whooping cough	1
Scarlet Fever	1
Measles	1
Dog bites	4
Carcasses buried	1

HARRY L. BURBECK,

Health Officer.

Report of Treasurer of Gale Library

Balance on hand, February 1, 1938	\$1,441.70
Received from W. R. Sargent, Treasurer	200.00
Fines collected	7.70
Dividend from Insurance Co.	5.26
Received for books	.90
Interest, Axtell Trust Fund	12.50
Interest, Haverhill Savings Bank	29.02
Interest, Pentucket Savings Bank	10.89
	<hr/> \$1,707.97

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

A. Marian Hatch, librarian	\$ 80.00
The Sceva Speare Co., books	56.28
Mitchell & Co., books	11.28
Jean Karr, books	9.15
Subscription to Readers' Digest	3.00
Subscription to Popular Science	1.50
Subscription to Outdoor Life	1.50
Subscription to National Geographic	3.00
World Topics Quarterlies	.96
Cleaning up shingles	1.50
F. J. Barnard & Co., Inc., books rebound	1.52
Joseph Hoyt, taking away rubbish	2.00
William K. Davis, insurance	26.30
Mary E. Hoyt, cleaning library	3.25
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	12.00
Paid to Trustees of Trust Funds	
Lovering Fund	350.00
John A. Gale Fund	1,000.00
Gaylord Bros., Inc., book cards	1.70
Charles Stevens, care of lawn	5.00
John Favor, wood	9.00

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Supplies and stamps	1.48	
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	\$1,580.42	
Balance on hand January 31, 1939	127.55	
	<hr/>	1,707.97
Haverhill Savings Bank		77.48
Cash on hand		50.07
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		\$127.55

Respectfully submitted,

MARY A. S. HAYFORD,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Number of Books Added	
Adult fiction	57
Adult non-fiction	24
Juvenile	18
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	99
By purchase	67
By gifts	14
Carnegie Foundation	18
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	99
Number of Books Loaned	
Adult fiction	3,669
Adult non-fiction	308
Juvenile	1,031
Juvenile non-fiction	70
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Total	5,078
Magazines lent	542

Respectfully submitted,

A. MARIAN HATCH,

Librarian.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1939

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin's Year	Income Yr. During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
Jan. 20, 1903	For care of Sarah M. Carter lot in Union Cemetery, fund created by will of Sarah M. Carter	Exeter Banking Co.	\$ 100.00	\$ 6.13	\$ 2.66		\$ 8.79
Jan. 1, 1910	For the care of the Fogg lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Rachael Fogg, widow of Orrin Fogg	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	29.31	3.21	2.00	30.52
Aug. 23, 1913	For the care of the Albert Lewis lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Lewis.	Amesbury Savings	100.00	31.68	3.30	2.00	32.98
Feb. 16, 1915	For the care of the Richard Hamor lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Annie Dalton.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	11.07	2.76	2.00	11.83
July 17, 1916	For the care of the Geo. F. Battles lot, Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Battles.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	9.26	2.71	2.00	9.97
Dec. 12, 1916	For the care of the Blore lot, in the Town Cemetery, fund created by will of Fanny Blore.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	7.75	2.68	2.00	8.43
July 3, 1919	For the care of the James C. Bartlett lot in Highland Cemetery fund created by Mrs. Lizzie Moers.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	11.10	2.76	2.00	11.86

Oct. 10, 1919	For the care of the Wilson lot in "Town ^{land} Cemetery," fund created by will of Levi Wilson.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	29.76	3.22	2.00	30.98
Aug. 4, 1920	For the care of the Hannah C. Moulton lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by 1st Christian Church, Newton, N. H.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	26.92	3.14	2.00	28.06
Feb. 25, 1921	For the care of the M. E. Hoyt lot in "Town ^{land} Cemetery," fund created by the will of Mrs. M. E. Hoyt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	30.94	3.24	2.00	32.18
Mar. 22, 1921	For the purchase of books for the Gale Library of Newton, "Income only to be used," created by will of Mrs. Z. E. Axtell, to be known as the "Axtell fund."	Exeter Banking Co.	500.00	12.50	12.50		
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Geo. W. Marston lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	36.45	3.40	2.00	37.85
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Nathan Gould lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co. Bond	100.00	23.20	3.06	2.00	24.26
Sept. 15, 1921	For the care of the Samuel Gould lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Banking Co. Bond	100.00	27.84	3.18	2.00	29.02
Jan. 31, 1922	For the care of the John R. Harvey lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of said Harvey.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	10.09	2.73	2.00	10.82
Oct. 24, 1922	For the care of the Bates-Peck lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Etta Peck-Bates.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	5.20	2.21	2.00	5.81

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Bal. Income On Hand at Begin'g Yr.	Income Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand End of Yr.
Aug. 28, 1923	For the care of the T. W. Bagley lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by daughter of T. W. Bagley	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	11.72	2.78	2.00	12.50
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Shaw lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	8.41	2.69	2.00	9.10
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Shaw lot in Willow Grove Cemetery, Newton (Junction), fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	38.69	3.39	5.60	36.48
May 13, 1924	For the care of the Julia Cilly lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Josie Leavitt, daughter of Mrs. Cilly	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	11.23	2.76	2.00	11.99
Nov. 24, 1924	For the care of the Haynes lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by J. E. Haynes.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	5.72	2.62	2.00	6.34
Dec. 24, 1914	For the worthy poor of Newton Junction, N. H. by terms of will of Annie Dalton. Known as the Johanna Dalton Fund.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	41.87	26.18		68.05
June 3, 1926	For the care of the Story lot in Town Cemetery, fund created by will of his son, Henry Story.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.23	2.63	2.00	6.86

Feb. 1, 1927	For the care of the A. P. Brewer lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mrs. A. P. Brewer	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.72	2.64	2.00	7.36
Mar. 2, 1928	For the care of the B. F. Wakefield lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mr. B. F. Wakefield	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.38	2.59	2.00	4.97
Feb. 20, 1930	For the care of the I. M. Heath lot in Highland Cemetery. Fund created by will of said Heath.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	6.00	2.63	2.00	6.63
Nov. 19, 1930	For care of the D. F. Battles lot in the Highland Cemetery. Fund created by will of Etta Battles	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	5.94	2.62	2.00	6.56
Oct. 22, 1931	For care of Joseph Hoitt lot in Old Town Cemetery, fund created by Edward Hoitt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.64	2.59	2.00	5.23
Nov. 24, 1931	For care of Mary J. Estes lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mary J. Estes.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.26	2.59	6.00	.85
May 3, 1934	For care of the Joseph C. Badger lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by W. C. Badger.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4.70	2.60	2.00	5.30
July 21, 1934	By will of Etta E. Sawyer. Income for the general improvement and development of Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	75.51	26.14	72.15	29.50
July 21, 1934	By will of Etta E. Sawyer. Income for perpetual care of the A. J. and Fred E. Sawyer lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	14.02	5.34	2.00	17.36
Nov. 1, 1934	In memory of Charles A. Boswell to be known as the "Al Boswell" fund, the income only to be used for repairs or improvements on Newton Town Hall. Created by Carrie A. Boswell, his wife.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00	93.45	27.50		120.95

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS (continued)

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Prin.	Begin'g Year Bal. Income On Hand at	Income Yr. During Yr.	Expended During Yr.	Bal. Income On Hand at End of Yr.
June 8, 1936	Care Samuel B. Hayford lot, Highland Cemetery. Created by his niece Mrs. John G. Rowe.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	2.01	2.53	2.00	2.54
Jan. 16, 1937	Hannah Carter Flanders Fund, Old Town Cemetery. Created by will of Louise O. Twombly.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	.30	2.49	2.00	.79
June 29, 1937	Care of Sarah F. Carter lot, Highland Cemetery. Created by will of Sarah F. Carter.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00		2.49	2.00	.49
July 24, 1937	George Fund. In memory of Everett George. For care of Everett and Ezra N. George lot in Willow Grove Cemetery. Created by Mrs. Everett George.	Exeter Banking Co.	200.00	2.08	5.02	4.00	3.10
July 24, 1937	Crosby Fund, for care of Chas. C. Crosby lot in Willow Grove Cemetery, in memory of Mary J. Crosby, created by Mary J. Crosby.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.04	2.51	2.00	1.55
July 24, 1937	Wm. Dunn Fund, for care of Wm. Dunn lot in Highland Cemetery, created by Mrs. Arnold F. Ingalls and Mrs. F. E. Leavitt.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	1.04	2.51	2.00	1.55
Sept. 4, 1937	Chas. A. Fowler Fund, for the care of the Chas. A. Fowler lot in Highland Cemetery, created by will of Chas. A. Fowler.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	.83	2.50	2.00	1.33

Sept. 4, 1937	Abel Fowler Fund, for care of Abel Fowler lot in Highland Cemetery, created by will of Chas. A. Fowler.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	.83	2.50	2.00	1.33
Oct. 15, 1937	Wentworth Fund, for care of Lowell M. Wentworth lot in Highland Cemetery, created by Fred E. Wentworth.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	.42	2.49	2.00	.91
Nov. 17, 1937	Clara Emily Wilder Fund, for the care of the Arthur Wilder lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	.21	2.49	2.00	.70
Nov. 17, 1937	Carrie A. Boswell Fund, for the care of C. A. Boswell lot in Highland Cemetery.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	.21	2.49	2.00	.70
June 13, 1938	Alice Magoon Fund. For care of the Alice Magoon lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by her son Al Magoon.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00		1.25		1.25
Nov. 30, 1938	Frank H. Ball Fund. For care of the Frank H. Ball lot in Highland Cemetery. Created by Lydia Dugdale.	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00		.21		.21
Nov. 10, 1938	John A. Gale Fund. Income to be used for repairs and improvements of the "Gale Library." Created by John A. Gale.	Exeter Banking Co.	1,000.00		2.08		2.08
Nov. 10, 1938	Lovering Fund. Income to be used for repairs and improvements of the "Gale Library." Created by Nathaniel Lovering.	Exeter Banking Co.	350.00		.73		.73
Jan. 9, 1938	Willow Grove Cemetery Fund. Income for improvement of Willow Tree Cemetery, Newton Junction, N. H. Created by sale of lots in cemeteries by vote of Town Meeting, Mar. 8, 1938.	Exeter Banking Co.	10.00				

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RECEIPTS

Exeter Banking Co.	\$170.25
Amesbury Savings	2.00
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	\$172.25

DISBURSEMENTS

Albert Flanders	\$98.20
Elmer H. Kelley	14.00
Stillman Davis	22.00
Library Trustees	12.50
Winfred A. Snow	14.00
Joseph Hoyt	2.00
Hayden Cheney	4.65
Estabrook's Garage	4.90
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	\$172.25

JAMES A. MARDEN,
WINFRED A. SNOW,

Trustees of Trust Funds,
Town of Newton, N. H.

Auditors' Report

Newton, N. H., Feb. 23, 1939.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, and Treasurer of Gale Library Trustees, and find them correctly cast and proper vouchers for all disbursements.

We find the Town Officers above named properly bonded.

KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
EVERETT O. KELLY,

Auditors.

Newton, N. H., Feb. 16, 1939.

We hereby certify that we have examined this day the accounts of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of said town, that said Trustees have exhibited to us all the securities held by them, as above stated together with a detailed statement thereof, and the particular trust to which they belong, with a statement of the receipts and expenditures with proper vouchers as required by Section 3, Chapter 162, of the Laws of 1915, and the amendments thereof.

We find the Trustees of the Trust Funds properly bonded.

KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
EVERETT O. KELLY,

Auditors.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of the

TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H.

School Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Newton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the eleventh day of March 1939, at 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newton this 14th day of February 1939.

LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,

School Board

School Board's Estimate For 1939-1940

School District of Newton

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1939.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	‡Elementary Schools
*Support of Schools	
Teachers' salaries	\$5,300.00
Text books	150.00
Scholars' supplies	175.00
Flags and appurtenances	15.00
Other expenses of instruction	20.00
Janitor service	522.00
Fuel	400.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	100.00
Minor repairs and expenses	150.00
Health supervision (med. ins.)	176.00
Transportation of pupils	1,008.00
Other special activities	20.00
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	\$8,036.00
Other Statutory Requirements	
Salaries of district officers (fixed by dist.)	\$ 169.00
Truant Officer and School Census (fixed by dist.)	35.00
Payment of tuition in high schools and academies (estimated by board)	4,500.00
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by Supervisory Union)	175.00

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Per capita tax (reported by State Treasurer)	242.00
Other obligations	263.50
	<hr/> 5,384.50

Total amount required to meet School Board's budget	\$13,420.50
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ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1939 (estimate)	\$ 500.00
State aid (December 1939 allotment)	3,573.14
Dog tax (estimate)	200.00
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Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)	4,273.14
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Assessment required to balance School Board's budget	\$9,147.36

LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,

School Board

Newton, N. H., February 14, 1939

*\$3.50 per \$1,000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law in addition to per capita tax and salaries of district officers.

‡\$5 per \$1,000 of equalized valuation must be raised for elementary schools to qualify for state aid.

Records of the Meeting

Of the School District of the Town of Newton, N. H.
March 5, 1938

Agreeable to the warrant the meeting was called to order at 8:00 P. M. and the warrant was read by the Moderator Earle B. Nichols.

Article 1. On the motion of Albert W. Flanders it was voted that the clerk cast one ballot for Earle B. Nichols for Moderator for the ensuing year. He was duly elected. Qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 2. On the motion of Mary A. S. Hayford it was voted that the chairman of the School Board cast one ballot for Cecil A. Kimball for Clerk for the ensuing year. He was duly elected. Qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 3. The meeting proceeded to ballot for member of the School Board for three years with the following results:

First ballot—Samuel F. Boyd had 41, Lottie M. Germondson had 57, Kenneth F. Briggs had 70—no one elected.

Second ballot—Samuel F. Boyd had 49, Lottie M. Germondson had 56, Kenneth F. Briggs had 82—no one elected.

Third ballot—Samuel F. Boyd had 1, Lottie M. Germondson had 81, Kenneth F. Briggs had 91 and was declared elected. Qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 4. On the motion of William K. Davis it was voted that the Clerk cast one ballot for Earle B. Nichols for Treasurer for the ensuing year. He was duly elected. Qualified by Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace.

Article 5. On the motion of Hayden E. Cheney it was voted that the present schedule of salaries remain the same for the ensuing year.

Article 6. On the motion of Wilbur R. Sargent it was voted the reports of the various officers be accepted as printed in the report.

Article 7. On the motion of Kenneth F. Briggs it was voted that the Clerk cast one ballot for Everett O. Kelly and Kent Walker auditors for the ensuing year. They were duly elected.

Article 8. On the motion of William K. Davis it was voted the district accept the estimate of the amount of money to be raised as shown in the budget of the School Board.

Article 9. On the motion of Ralph W. Marden it was voted that this matter be referred back to the committee for further consideration and information and be brought up again next year.

Article 10. On the motion of Frank H. Davis it was voted that this matter be indefinitely postponed.

As there was no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10:30 P. M. without date.

Recorded truly,

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

District Clerk

A true copy of record. Attest:

CECIL A. KIMBALL,

District Clerk

Annual Report of District Treasurer, Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1938

Cash on hand June 30, 1937 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 795.49
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	\$8,486.14
Balance of previous appropriation	115.36
Dog tax	198.50
Received from State Treasurer (State or Federal Aid)	3,593.30
Received from all other sources	29.74
	<hr/> 12,423.04
Total amount available for fiscal year (balance and receipts)	\$13,218.53
Less School Board orders paid	13,037.86
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1938 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 180.67

EARL B. NICHOLS,
District Treasurer

June 30, 1938

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newton, of which the

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above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938, and find them correct in all respects.

EVERETT O. KELLY,
KENT WALKER,

Auditors.

July 11, 1938

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1937 Date	From Whom	Source	Amount
July 5	Merrimack Nat'l Bank	Haverhill Trust Co., int.	\$ 2.20
Sept. 21	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
Oct. 29	Selectmen	Town	1,500.00
Nov. 19	Selectmen	Town	1,600.00
Dec. 3	State Treasurer	State aid	3,593.30
1938			
Jan. 5	Merrimack Nat'l Bank	Haverhill Trust Co., int.	2.20
Mar. 21	Selectmen	Town	600.00
Apr. 13	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
Apr. 26	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
May 25	Selectmen	Town	1,000.00
June 7	Selectmen	Town	800.00
June 27	Selectmen	Town	300.00
June 27	Sanborn Seminary	Refund	23.14
June 27	Merrimack Nat'l Bank	Haverhill Trust Co., int.	2.20
Total receipts during the year			<hr/> \$13,218.53

Financial Report

Of the Newton School District For the Fiscal Year
Beginning July 1, 1937 and Ending June 30, 1938

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws, 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

WILLIAM J. NELSON, Superintendent

LILLIAN WEBSTER,
AMANDA C. GOODWIN,
KENNETH BRIGGS,

School Board.

July 7, 1938

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid

Equalization fund for elementary schools (from State)	\$ 3,593.30
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Income from Local Taxation (raised by selectmen)

For the support of elementary schools	\$2,826.64
For the payment of high school and academy tuition	4,900.00
For the salaries of district officers	169.00
For the payment of per capita tax	296.00
Balance of previous appropriations	115.36

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Truant officer and school census	35.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	177.00	
Other obligations	82.50	
	<hr/>	8,601.50
From Sources Other Than Taxation		
Dog licenses (from selectmen)	\$ 198.50	
Other receipts	29.74	
	<hr/>	228.24
Total receipts from all sources		<hr/> \$12,423.04
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1937		795.49
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Grand total		\$13,218.53

PAYMENTS—DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES

	Total Amount	General Expense	Support High Schools	Support Elem. Schools
Administration:				
Salaries of district officers	\$ 169.00	\$169.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	180.75	180.75		
Truant officer and school census	35.90	35.90		
Expenses of administration	66.03	66.03		
Instruction:				
Principals and teachers' salaries	5,170.00			\$5,170.00
Text books	150.97			150.97
Scholars' supplies	150.73			150.73
Flags and appurtenances	16.58			16.58
Other expenses of instruction	23.82			23.82
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:				
Janitor service	522.00			522.00
Fuel	333.87			333.87
Water, light, janitor's supplies	106.38			106.38
Minor repairs and expenses	121.50			121.50
Medical inspection, health supervision				
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:				
Transportation of pupils	181.12			181.12
High school and academy tuition	1,008.00			1,008.00
Other special activities	3,984.72			
	502.99		\$3,984.72	502.99
Fixed Charges:				
Tax for State wide supervision (\$2 per capita)	296.00	296.00		
Insurance and other fixed charges	17.50	17.50		
Total payments for all purposes	\$13,037.86	\$765.18	\$3,984.72	\$8,287.96
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1938)	180.67			
Grand total	\$13,218.53			

Detailed Expenditures July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Lottie M. Germundson, School Board	\$ 50.00	
Lillian R. Webster, School Board	40.00	
Amanda C. Goodwin, School Board	40.00	
Luther P. Leith, Treasurer	4.17	
Earle B. Nichols, Treasurer	20.83	
Earle B. Nichols, Moderator	2.00	
Cecil A. Kimball, Clerk	2.00	
Everett O. Kelly, Auditor	5.00	
Kenneth F. Briggs, Auditor	5.00	
	—————\$	169.00
Superintendent's excess salary		180.75

SCHOOL CENSUS AND TRUANT OFFICER

Lottie M. Germundson, school census	\$ 25.00	
Enumeration cards	.90	
Earle B. Nichols, truant officer	10.00	
	—————	35.90

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

Wm. K. Davis, treasurer's bond	\$ 10.00	
Grace Melinger, clerk hire	36.00	
Lottie M. Germundson, postage and telephone calls	4.39	
Wm. J. Nelson, telephone calls, post- age, etc.	13.84	
Lillian R. Webster, telephone calls and postage	1.80	
	—————	66.03

PRINCIPAL'S AND TEACHERS' SALARIES'

Marion Kalashian	\$1,100.00	
Mary Wright	950.00	
Angelia Kelly	950.00	
Loleta M. Palmer	970.00	
Alice G. Knowles	945.00	
Ruth Cook, substitute	5.00	
Eva W. Thompson, music	250.00	
	<hr/>	5,170.00

TEXT BOOKS

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$ 5.00	
The MacMillan Co.	12.19	
Scott Foresman Co.	2.07	
John C. Winston Co.	21.96	
World Book Co.	3.57	
American Education Press, Inc.	1.11	
Wm. J. Nelson	.37	
Boston Music Co.	9.14	
Charles Scribners, Sons	6.65	
Silver Burdett Co.	16.63	
Arlo Publishing Co.	1.33	
D. Appleton Century Co.	.94	
Ginn & Co.	32.79	
American Book Co.	10.30	
Henry Holt & Co.	5.67	
J. P. Lippincott Co.	.55	
California State Dept. of Education	4.00	
L. W. Singer & Co.	7.19	
Webster Publishing Co.	3.38	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	6.13	
	<hr/>	150.97

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$ 132.57
Webster Publishing Co.	.80
Ginn & Co.	1.76

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Brown's Optical Store	15.60	
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FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

F. B. Keene	\$ 1.45	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	15.13	
	<hr/>	16.58

OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Webster Publishing Co.	\$ 1.56	
Milton Bradley Co.	2.06	
Hildreth & Rogers	2.30	
World Book Co.	8.41	
Edward E. Babb Co.	5.75	
Rush-A-Service Printing	2.39	
Peabody Music Store	1.35	
	<hr/>	23.82

JANITOR SERVICE

Charles R. Stevens	\$ 252.00	
Ira M. Downing	180.00	
Bridget Merritt	90.00	
	<hr/>	522.00

FUEL

Hayden E. Cheney, coal	\$ 230.00	
John H. Favor, wood	21.00	
Nora Dalton, wood	48.00	
Sumner Hoyt, wood	16.00	
Chester Gould, wood	1.75	
Jos. C. Hoyt, sawing and throwing in wood	12.25	
Loren Merritt, throwing in wood	4.87	
	<hr/>	333.87

WATER, LIGHT AND JANITOR SUPPLIES

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$ 60.80	
John M. Duston	3.30	

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	42.28	
	<hr/>	106.38

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

Amanda C. Goodwin, cleaning Rowe's Corner school	\$ 12.70	
F. H. Davis, rep. window and material, Village school	3.10	
A. E. Abbott, rep. roof, Junction school	3.00	
Lottie Germundson, cleaning Village school	10.00	
Ira M. Downing, material and labor, Rowe's Cor. school	4.20	
Bridget Merritt, cleaning Junction school	5.00	
Edward E. Babb & Co., bowl bearing and agitator rods	16.32	
Loleta Palmer	.29	
C. D. Currier, cleaning vaults, Village school, etc.	15.00	
F. B. Keene, plastic cement and putty	.95	
John M. Duston, varnish	1.15	
Norman Keighley, repair and clean clock	1.50	
Ira M. Downing, repairs on tanks, Rowe's Cor. school	5.00	
O. M. Bean, reps. on furnace, Village school	19.96	
Loren Merritt, clean tanks and set glass, Junction school	1.75	
Fontaine Service Co., repair radio	2.00	
Murray & Dugdale, rolls for heater, Village school	.80	
F. E. Blair, cutting tree, Rowe's Cor. school	13.50	
C. W. Hayes, materials	.40	
H. E. Cheney, varnish, sandpaper, brush	2.15	
H. R. Webster, reps. on roof, materials, Junction school	2.73	
	<hr/>	121.50

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MEDICAL INSPECTION

Helen Thomas, R. N., school nurse	181.12
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TRANSPORTATION

Earle B. Nichols	1,008.00
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HIGH SCHOOL AND ACADEMY TUITION

Sanborn Seminary	\$2,497.72
Haverhill High	945.00
Robinson's Female Seminary	255.00
Merrimac High	192.00
Amesbury High	95.00
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	3,984.72

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$ 6.80
Brown's Optical Store	10.00
Rush-A-Service	3.36
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	20.16

W. P. A. WELL PROJECT

Henry L. Burbeck, foreman	\$ 365.60
Walter Welch, dynamiting	26.00
Geo. P. Kimball & Sons, dynamite and caps	16.11
A. G. Whittier, sharpening tools, etc.	10.50
Irving L. Burbeck, rep. blasting machine	5.00
Jos. C. Hoyt, trucking	25.25
Sumner Hoyt, rocks	4.20
F. B. Keene, rope	.62
Haverhill Hardware Co., tools	2.39
John H. Favor, cedar posts	.70
O. M. Bean, piping and labor	26.46
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	482.83

INSURANCE

Marston Agency	17.50
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PER CAPITA

Per capita	296.00
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Total expenditures	\$13,037.86
Cash on hand June 30, 1938	180.67

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the School Board and Citizens of Newton:

It is with pleasure that I present my annual report as Superintendent of your schools.

The Statistical Report is for the school year ending June 30, 1938. This report is followed by the reports of the Music Supervisor and the School Nurse.

There has been no change in the teaching staff of our schools since my last report. The retention of able and experienced teachers for a period of years is a valuable asset to successful schools, and a source of educational economy not to be overlooked. Our teachers have all taken courses in education either during the summer or during the school year. Last summer Miss Kalashian, Mrs. Palmer, and Mrs. Knowles attended Boston University, where they took, as a part of their work, a course in Remedial Reading by Dr. Durrell. For the past two summers Miss Kelly has attended Plymouth Normal School. Mrs. Wright attended Keene Normal Summer School in 1937 and at present is taking a course in Remedial Reading by Dr. Durrell of Boston University, which is being given in Haverhill. By means of this work our teachers are keeping abreast of modern thought and practice in school matters.

The enrollment for the year covered by this report was one hundred eighteen, which was twenty-eight less than during the year previous. The school attendance averaged 96.48% of the membership, as compared with the state average of 95.13%.

There were fifteen graduates from the eighth grade last June. All but one of these have entered a high school this year. The medal given each year by the Sons of the American Revolution, to the pupil in the graduating class

of the elementary schools who has best exemplified the principles of good citizenship, was awarded to Barbara Morse. The following list shows the September enrollment of Newton pupils in High Schools:

Sanborn Seminary	29
Haverhill High School	9
Merrimac High School	2
Robinson Seminary	3
Amesbury High School	2
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Total Newton pupils enrolled in high schools.....	45

A 16mm. Silent Motion Picture Machine was purchased by the towns of our Supervisory Union last spring for use in visual education in the schools. Films that deal with and supplement the curriculum of the school are shown. For the elementary school there are available without cost, except transportation, films dealing with health, safety, geography, history, and home making. Films have been shown on Alaska, Brazil, Philippine Islands, Denmark, Siberia, and the Sahara Desert; as well as on wheat, corn, oranges, the life of Lincoln and of Washington. Motion pictures and radio are rapidly taking a place in the school-room. Non-readers often learn by this means as rapidly as good readers. Teachers find that a motion picture in history or geography creates a desire to learn more about the subject. Experimentors have found that children learn from motion pictures three or four times as rapidly as by reading and they retain it longer.

The fine dental clinic held last Spring was made possible by the combined efforts of our Granges. Funds furnished by the Red Cross made it possible to provide glasses, clothing, and cod liver oil for children in need of the same.

The Metropolitan Achievement Tests are given each year in grades 1-8 inclusive. The Otis Mental Ability Tests are given in grade four. These tests help in checking school progress. They also show the need, when it exists, of addi-

tional drill in some subjects. Our tests show that good progress is being made. The teachers who have taken or are taking Dr. Durrell's course in Remedial Reading will receive assistance in solving reading problems. Mrs. Knowles has organized a group in remedial reading at Rowe's Corner School, for the pupils in grades five and six that have reading difficulties.

The Rowe's Corner building has been equipped with window screens for some time. Last summer window screens and screen doors were put on at the Junction building. In both cases the cost was paid by funds raised by the school itself. We hope that the Village School may soon have similar equipment. The Kaustine tanks used in our toilets last from ten to twelve years. Those at the Village School have been in use about ten years, and will probably not last much longer.

A curriculum in safety education has been worked out by a committee of New Hampshire educators and has been made available for each school. This will be of real help to our teachers in making education for safety more effective. Not only is safety on the highway stressed, but also safety in the home and on the playground.

During National Education Week in November, parents are urged to visit the schools. A large number of parents, especially mothers, avail themselves of this opportunity. We only wish that parents would come more often. If parent and teacher are to work together for the best development of the child, it is very necessary that they have an opportunity to meet.

In conclusion, I wish to express my thanks to the School Board for their generous support and commend the time and energy they have so generously expended for the welfare of the schools. I also commend the effective and loyal work of the teachers in guiding their pupils forward on the road to good citizenship.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. NELSON,
Superintendent of Schools

**STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING
JUNE 30, 1938**

ATTENDANCE

	Boys	Girls	Total	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent. of Attendance	Total Tardinesses	Tardinesses Per Pupil
Newton Village								
Grades 1-5	5	9	14	12.58	12.01	95.46	10	.71
Newton Village								
Grades 7-8	16	16	32	30.43	29.18	95.89	15	.47
Newton Junction								
Grades 1-5	16	3	19	17.39	16.82	96.72	14	.74
Rowe's Corner								
Grades 1-4	9	8	17	13.55	12.94	95.49	15	.88
Rowe's Corner								
Grades 5-6	18	18	36	35.99	35.12	97.58	59	1.64
Totals	64	54	118	109.94	106.07	96.48	113	.96
State average 1937-1938						95.13		.
Visits to schools by:								
Superintendent								138
School Board								12
Citizens								167
Total registration								118
Registered elsewhere previously								0
Unrepeated registration:								
Boys							64	
Girls							54	
							—	118
Average attendance							106.07	
Average absence								3.87

Average membership	109.94
Per cent. of attendance	96.48
Not absent or tardy	11
Cases of tardiness	113
Number of days schools were in session	175

TEACHERS 1937-1938

Marion Kalashian	Village, Grades 7-8
Angelia Kelly	Village, Grades 1-5
Mary Z. Wright	Junction, Grades 1-5
Loleta Palmer	Rowe's Cor., Grades 5-6
Alice G. Knowles	Rowe's Cor., Grades 1-4
Helen W. Thomas	Union School Nurse
Eva W. Thompson	Music

**UNION NO. 55 SUPERVISORY SCHOOL CALENDAR AS
ADOPTED BY THE NEWTON SCHOOL BOARD FOR
1938-1939**

Schools open—September 6.

State Teachers' Convention—October 20-21.

Armistice Day (schools closed)—November 11.

Thanksgiving recess—November 24-27.

Schools open—November 29.

Schools close—December 22.

Winter Recess

Schools open—January 3.

Schools close—February 17.

Midwinter Recess

Schools open—February 27.

Schools close—April 14.

Spring Recess

Schools open—April 24.

Memorial Day (schools closed)—May 30.

Schools close—Elementary schools close after 175 days
of school.

Report of Supervisor of Music

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith present my annual report as Supervisor of Music in the Newton schools.

The work in music is being continued much the same as in former years. The children have an organized course in rote singing, the songs are written within the range of the child's voice, and of simple rhythm. The elements of musical notation are taught step by step; as the children are ready for a problem it is presented to the eye on the blackboard, training the ear and eye for sight-reading.

The radio and victrola are used for the teaching of musical appreciation. An outline of the program to be presented is written on the blackboard, the teacher tells something of interest about the selection and the composer, before the children listen to the composition.

For your continued interest and helpfulness, and the hearty cooperation of the teachers, I am most grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA W. THOMPSON.

Report of School Nurse

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my annual report for the year 1937-1938. I wish to thank the Superintendent of Schools, school board, teachers, members of the Grange, and all who co-operated to make the year a success. The report follows.

Number children examined, 103.

Number children underweight, 6; gained since last exam., 6.

Number children defective vision, 5; corrected since last year, 7.

Number children defective teeth, 42; corrected since last exam., 43.

Diseased tonsils, 11; treated since last year, 2.

Enlarged glands, 3; treated since last year, 1.

Number children vaccinated, 103; not vaccinated, 0.

Other Work Accomplished

Number visits to schools, 114.

Number visits to homes (follow up work), 23.

Number visits to homes (business calls), 14.

Total number of calls, 37.

Number children accompanied to optician, 6; fitted to glasses, 4.

Dental clinic held May 4. Forty-one children attended, and had their teeth put in good condition. Many received certificates for good teeth.

Children were weighed several times during the year, and records sent home. Weight charts placed in each school room.

Letters were written to the Granges of Newton, asking for assistance in raising money for the dental clinic, and a whist party was held for this purpose. The money was used to assist needy children.

Report of contagion in schools—Chicken pox, 4; whooping cough, 7; skin diseases, 3.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN W. THOMAS, R. N.

School Nurse, Salem, N. H.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

1938	Name of Child	Sex	Number of Living or Stillborn	Name of Father	Birthplace	Name of Mother	Birthplace
Jan. 4	Nancy Mae Leonard	F	L	Clyde B. Leonard	Calais, Me.	Marguerite J. Harding	No. Andover, Mass.
Jan. 5	Myrna Joyce Chard	F	1	Frank Chard	Bradford, Mass.	Lucilla Jacobitz	Chicago, Ill.
Mar. 19	Amelia Winifred Pelley	F	11	Arthur J. W. Pelley	Hauts Harbor, N. F.	Lily M. Button	New Chelsea, N. F.
Mar. 26	Nancy Jean Standing	F	2	William H. Standing	Fall River, Mass.	Charlotte T. Nason	So. Kingston, N. H.
May 19	Joseph B. Pottie, Jr.	M	3	Joseph B. Pottie	Haverhill, Mass.	Helen G. Tehan	Cambridge, Mass.
May 24	Deborah Ann Boyd	F	1	Samuel F. Boyd	Clinton, Mass.	Edna M. Hanson	Bocabec, N. B.
June 30	Mary Judith Verge	F	1	Wallace C. Verge	Melrose, Mass.	Helen E. Brewer	Newton, N. H.
Aug. 21	Chester Elmer Bearce	M	1	Elmer C. Bearce	W. Southport, Me.	Winifred I. Green	Cooperstown, N. Y
Oct. 31	David Michael Noone	M	2	John J. Noone	So. Groveland, Mass.	Alberta E. Taylor	Haverhill, Mass.
Nov. 7	David Russell Hunt	M	1	Russell R. Hunt	Ogunquit, Me.	Margaret E. Hoyt	Merrimac, Mass.
1889							
Sept. 5	Albert A. A. White	M	6	Albert A. White	St. David, Canada	Emelie Proulx	St. David, Canada
1878							
Nov. 11	Edward Charles Emerson	M	3	William H. Emerson	Amesbury, Mass.	Harriett N. Martin	Rowley, Mass.
1879							
Sept. 22	Charles Rufus Stevens	M	2	Oscar T. Stevens	So. Hampton, N. H.	Isabelle L. Hoyt	Newton, N. H.
1877							
Apr. 13	John Eugene Trull	M	1	Cyrus D. Trull	Dracut, Mass.	Adah N. Walker	Alton, N. H.
1880							
Feb. 13	Edgar Cyrus Trull	M	2	Cyrus D. Trull	Dracut, Mass.	Adah N. Walker	Alton, N. H.

A true copy of records. Attest: MARY A. S. HAYFORD, Town Clerk

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1938

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Age	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	By Whom Married
Feb. 20	John P. McCarthy	21	Haverhill, Mass.	Patrick J. McCarthy Nora E. Flynn	Mary A. S. Hayford Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Dorothy E. Driscoll	19	Haverhill, Mass.	Michael A. Driscoll Eva C. Karelitz	
Mar. 1	Frank M. Mascaro	21	Haverhill, Mass.	Felix A. Mascaro Angelina Bionda	Mary A. S. Hayford Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Dorothy A. Allard	19	Saco, Maine	Ambrose A. Allard Mary A. Siddell	
Mar. 6	James T. Mazza	23	Haverhill, Mass.	Angelo Mazza	Mary A. S. Hayford Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Elizabeth C. Dwinells	21	Haverhill, Mass.	Lucy Larnne Carl B. Dwinells	
Mar. 13	Lawrence Chisholm	40	Canada	Margaret C. Donahue Daniel J. Chisholm	Mary A. S. Hayford Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Julia M. Mahoney	37	Melrose, Mass.	Margaret B. Chisholm Cornelius Mahoney	
Mar. 17	Harold R. MacIntire	23	Stoneham, Mass.	Barbara Donahue Harold S. MacIntire	William J. Wilson Baptist Minister Newton, N. H.
	Gertrude Vera North	19	Wakefield, Mass.	Ethel M. Reid Albert L. North	
Mar. 19	Leslie J. Walker	33	W. Springfield, Mass.	Vera A. Drew George A. Walker	Mary A. S. Hayford Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Phyllis A. Woodsum	23	Haverhill, Mass.	Beatrice M. Gleason Frank H. Woodsum	
Apr. 2	William H. Beaupre	21	Nashua, N. H.	Florence E. Brackley Arthur J. Beaupre	Mary A. S. Hayford Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
	Marion E. Strangman	18	Haverhill, Mass.	Edith S. Martin Leonard W. Strangman	
				Emma Rideout	

Apr. 22	James H. McIntosh	23	Haverhill, Mass.	Harold E. McIntosh	Caleb N. Fowler
	Alice E. Fisher	19	Bradford, Mass.	Jessie E. Rogers	Justice of the Peace
May 8	Brice F. McKay	22	Lynn, Mass.	George A. Fisher	Seabrook, N. H.
	Bessie Lamson Dudley	20	Danvers, Mass.	Estelle Mills	
May 18	Herbert L. Stearns	43	Somerville, Mass.	Laurie L. McKay	James M. Ladd
	Dorothy L. Tower	28	Rockport, N. B.	Mabel Bonney	Minister of the Gospel
June 4	James M. Ladd	24	Chauvin, Canada	Charles R. Dudley	Newton, N. H.
	Muriel P. Cutler	21	York, Maine	Edith W. Elliott	
June 9	Arthur G. Martel	38	Haverhill, Mass.	Charles A. Stearns	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Katherine C. Sullivan	29	Haverhill, Mass.	Ida M. Gale	Justice of the Peace
June 9	Edward Stephens, Jr.	23	Somerville, Mass.	William A. Tower	Newton, N. H.
	Ellamae Russell	20	Melrose, Mass.	Alice C. Estabrook	
June 11	Charles J. Hull	26	Newton Junction, N. H.	Elmer E. Ladd	Ralph T. Osborn
	Stella D. Oakes	21	East Haverhill, Mass.	Mary C. Cowan	Clergyman
June 16	Charles L. Lancaster	31	Merrimac, Mass.	Harold W. Cutler	Epsom, N. H.
	Winnifred A. Ball	21	Haverhill, Mass.	Sarah E. Pryor	
				Napoleon Martel	Mary A. S. Hayford
				Clarinda Beauvais	Justice of the Peace
				Dennis J. Sullivan	Newton, N. H.
				Mary A. Noonan	
				Edward Stephens	Rev. Homer F. Carr
				Edward W. Russell	Minister
				Clara I. Robinson	Plaistow, N. H.
				Joseph F. Hull	
				Sadie E. Warner	Mary A. S. Hayford
				Nelson Oakes	Justice of the Peace
				Helen P. Hull	Newton, N. H.
				Charles A. Lancaster	
				Alice P. Chapin	Wm. J. B. Cannell
				Wilbur F. Ball	Minister of the Gospel
				Philantha Torrey	Lebanon, N. H.

MARRIAGES (continued)

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Age	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	By Whom Married
June 18	Ernest A. Rogers	25	No. Andover, Mass.	Anthony Rogers	Clarence M. Collins
	Evelyn E. Giard	20	Spencer, Mass.	Margaret DeRoche William J. Giard	Justice of the Peace Danville, N. H.
July 3	Frederick A. Baker, Jr.	27	Brockton, Mass.	Lydia Beaudin	William J. Wilson
	Evelyn I. Grover	24	Brockton, Mass.	Frederick A. Baker Inez M. Hall	Baptist Minister Newton, N. H.
July 22	Edward V. Watkins	33	Manchester, N. H.	Charles H. Grover	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Annie Walton	36	Bradford, England	Eva M. Drysdale George S. Watkins	Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
July 23	Peter Sonsava	26	Haverhill, Mass.	Margaret Conner Fred Wright	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Mildred D. Wilkinson	27	Haverhill, Mass.	Elizabeth McKerro Martin Sonsava	Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
July 24	William J. Auger	23	Saugus, Mass.	Catherine Sudol George F. Wilkinson	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Mary E. Denham	22	So. Attleboro, Mass.	Sarah Grover William C. Auger	Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
Aug. 6	Ralph W. Mason	27	Concord, Mass.	Mary O. Duffett George A. Denham	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Paulina A. Abolin	32	Palsen, Latvia	Katherine M. Shupp Warren D. Mason	Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
Aug. 21	Floyd R. Winter	23	Haverhill, Mass.	Mary Higgins Frederick Abolin	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Louise Grebenstein	23	Newton, N. H.	Lizbta Krastin Murray L. Winter	Justice of the Peace Newton, N. H.
				Edith F. Cooper William A. Grebenstein	James M. Ladd
				Annie L. Rieber	Minister of the Gospel Newton, N. H.

Aug. 26	Harry D. Connell	23	Lawrence, Mass.	David J. Connell	Mary A. S. Hayford
	Mary E. Daley	22	No. Andover, Mass.	Jennie Shepard	Justice of the Peace
Aug. 31	Thomas C. Mascaro	25	Haverhill, Mass.	Gertrude E. Readon	Newton, N. H.
	Mary G. Dwinnells	19	Haverhill, Mass.	Felix A. Mascaro	Mary A. S. Hayford
Sept. 3	Albert C. Campbell	51	Stowe, Vt.	Angelina Bionda	Justice of the Peace
	Helen M. Day	50	Jonesport, Me.	Carl B. Dwinnells	Newton, N. H.
Sept. 4	Guy W. Littlefield	45	Conway, N. H.	Margaret C. Donahue	James M. Ladd
	Annie W. Hart	45	E. Wolfboro, N. H.	George H. Campbell	Minister of the Gospel
Sept. 5	James Fleming	31	Newton, N. H.	Matilda Brow	Newton, N. H.
	Ida A. Cote	29	Epping, N. H.	Margaret B. Norton	James M. Ladd
Sept. 4	Frederick J. Graf	39	Worcester, Mass.	Guy W. Littlefield	Minister of the Gospel
	Marie A. Fogg	38	Cincinnati, Ohio	Sarah J. Fifield	Newton, N. H.
Nov. 26	James A. Pelley	21	Lynn, Mass.	James N. Whittier	Rev. L. J. W. Robichaud
	Edith E. Phillips	21	Lynn, Mass.	Cora H. Morgan	Catholic Priest
Dec. 21	Howard F. Quimby, Jr.	17	Newton, N. H.	Martin Fleming	Epping, N. H.
	Velma J. McCombe	15	Rochester, N. H.	Mary Cullina	William J. Wilson
Dec. 24	Theodore E. King	21	Haverhill, Mass.	Alexander Cote	Baptist Minister
	Teresa M. Villetta	19	Haverhill, Mass.	Delphine Moquum	Newton, N. H.
				Anton Graf	Mary A. S. Hayford
				Anna Shearburn	Justice of the Peace
				Fritz Gafe	Newton, N. H.
				Alexander J. Pelley	Herbert Walker
				Julia E. Lynch	Cong. Minister
				William W. Phillips	Hampton, N. H.
				Vara A. Brown	Mary A. S. Hayford
				Howard F. Quimby	Justice of the Peace
				Mildred L. Lyon	Newton, N. H.
				Leon S. McCombe	
				Velma C. Bower	
				James F. King	Mary A. S. Hayford
				Marion Jeness	Justice of the Peace
				Emelio Villetta	Newton, N. H.
				Mary DiPirro	

DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1938

Date 1938	Name of Deceased	Age			Birthplace	Sex			Name of Father	Name of Mother
		Y	M	D		M	F	M		
Apr. 17	*Annie L. Loring	69	5	2		F	M			
May 9	*Emma F. Bonenfant	55	11	28		F	M			Hannah W. Beede
May 19	Fred Sumner Beede	56	0	19	Amesbury, Mass.	M	W		Oscar E. Beede	Mary J. Little
June 22	Mary Rancourt	68	0	19	Scotland	F	M		Adam Sutherland	
Aug. 4	Josephine Potterton	66	5	27		F				Jessie Gray
Aug. 14	Annabelle Walls	54	5	20	Scotland	F	M		Francis Gray	
Oct. 3	*Archie Joseph Roy	77	10	19		M				Hannah E. MacKensie
Oct. 9	George D. Purdy	70	6	28	Upper Clements, N. S.	M	M		George Purdy	
Oct. 14	*Frank H. Ball	72	8	15		M	M			
Nov. 16	*Wilhelmina Esmeal	30	10	0		F	M			
Nov. 16	*Baby Esmeal	Stillborn								
Dec. 3	*Lawrence Willey	38	10	5		M				Emma Good
Dec. 9	*Frederick L. Pingree	75	2	26	Amesbury, Mass.	M	M		Phineas N. Pingree	
Dec. 31	*James Francis Carey	71	5	16		M				

*Brought here from out of town.

A true copy of records. Attest: MARY A. S. HAYFORD, Town Clerk

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